

DEMOCRAT RAPS CHARGE MAKERS

Refutes Assertions of Fraud in Democratic Administration.

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through with fraud. I challenge that statement and demand the proof.
It may not be any exaggeration of the course of the Republicans, but it is a fact that under similar circumstances the Democrats have led the attack through admittance without political advantage. But the speech of representative Garret may be considered the typical Democratic viewpoint at present in reply to charges of fraud which the house committees have been investigating for the last six months.—Copyright, 1919, The El Paso Herald.

REPORT GIRL THROWN TO PAVEMENT IN CAR CRASH

Tracy officers Friday received report to the effect that a government truck, driven by V. C. Duren, had collided with a civilian automobile at Alamogordo and Copia streets at 7:20 a. m. A girl riding in the automobile is said to have been thrown out onto the pavement and the car damaged. An investigation had not revealed details of the accident at noon Friday. Police have no report of the collision.

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LIQUOR STORE TO BE OPENED

Bonded Warehouse for American and Mexican Shippers at Juarez.

A bonded warehouse for the accommodation of American and Mexican shippers is to be established in Juarez, according to information from the chamber of commerce in that city.
It is emphatically denied that arrangements are being made at this time to accommodate large quantities of liquor on this side of the border.

Snow Falls Over Ohio

And Mississippi Valleys

Washington, D. C., Dec. 15.—Snow was falling today over most of the middle Atlantic states and the Ohio and the upper Mississippi valleys. Reports of the weather bureau indicated that the fall would continue tonight and possibly tomorrow.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL PLAN TRAFFIC ORDINANCE CHANGES

Mayor Charles Davis and the city councilmen are considering numerous changes to the traffic ordinance. The new regulations were discussed Friday at the council meeting and house of the city hall. The council will likely be passed at next Wednesday's council meeting. The council will meet next Wednesday because Thursday, the regular day for the weekly meeting, is Christmas.

TWO INJURED IN EXPLOSION HERE

Police Hold Father and Son Pending Inquiry On "Bomb Manufacture."

Suffering from burns received when an explosion wrecked the adobe house at Seventh and Oregon streets, at 1:50 o'clock Thursday night, Louis Alamo and his father, Marcellino Alamo, are being held in the county hospital. The men received severe burns about the head, face and hands. Although their condition is serious, there is little doubt but that they will recover.

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"Lights" Term of L. W. W.

Police chief J. H. Montgomery said Friday morning that some time ago he received information that persons in the neighborhood of the explosion had manufactured infernal machines. A recent confession from an L. W. W. chemist was to the effect that the L. W. W. term for bombs was "lights." One of the men explained that they had made 15 "lights" for use on a Christmas tree.

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Men Refuse to Discuss Injury.

But this theory has not been entirely substantiated. Attempts at the hospital say that the two men refuse to talk of their injury or how it occurred.

In addition to the other things found in the house, the detectives found several large chunks of resin, wrapped in newspaper. The resin was in the form of cylinders and about each of the cylinders was wrapped a quantity of chalk line. The Mexicans at first denied any knowledge of the resin.

Later, one admitted the police say, that he knew the substance was there but thought it was tar. He finally admitted, according to the officers, that he knew it was resin.

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Cynical Rat, Yet Wise In Bewhiskered Grape Juice Philosophy, Assails Poet In The Quiet Of An Editorial Sanctum

By THE POET.

It is perhaps to the fact that I am somewhat of a rat that the office rat approached me last night as I was trying to think up something to say on my typewriter. For several evenings I had noticed that steadily at 9 o'clock the office rat ran down the lead casing in the editorial room that feeds gas to the city editor's light. This rat is respected by everybody and tolerated by nobody.
From the first time the rat saw me he took a fancy to me, but he wasn't what you would call a brazen sort of rodent. For weeks he played around, getting nearer and nearer until last night he walked deliberately, but modestly, over to where I sat and rose up on his hind legs. He waited decorously until I was ready to recognize him.

At last, I looked up, interrogatively. "Excuse me," he said, "but I was of a preamble and introduction. I am Col. Nasser. Like the old time Englishman, I am named after what I do mostly and best. Your name is—?"

"Frank Confection." "In my case I am named after what I am not mostly. And I am glad to know you, Col. Nasser. What may I do for you?"

"I'm sorry, I am named after what I am not mostly. And I am glad to know you, Col. Nasser. What may I do for you?"

"You write editorials, do you not?" "Well, you're the party I want to talk to, if you will give me a few minutes."

"Now," the rat went on, "I am just a rat. I am supposed to eat things in furniture, such as steel chickens and raise general havoc with the orderly arrangement of what you are pleased to term your property. But even if I am what I am supposed to be, I have done no small amount of thinking and I have been over considerable of the editorial staff of what you are not in a position to set forth some of my conclusions in an editorial I would like to have you look at."

"You have, for instance, decided that God is made in your image. Now we rats have a God. He is the spirit that puts grain and ants and birds where we can get them. But we know that God is made in our image."

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Pure Cider Vinegar, Gallon Jar, 6c.....20c
The Fancy Bulk Black Tea, Pound.....20c
Griffin Pure Preserves, 15 Oz. Bottle.....20c
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